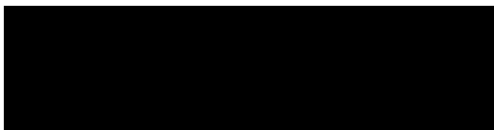


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Dear Bill:

I discussed your telephone call of Saturday here today and have more of an idea what its all about. The basic training program may be cut back so there may be no room for any further applicants. That is why you were sent to the other office to discuss a specific job.

I think it only fair to state that the job in question is a technical one of considerable technical interest and is considered important to our general proficiency. They have had difficulty getting people qualified to handle it in the past and are very anxious to get someone with good qualifications. It would be a most thorough training in one important aspect of our business and would give you an excellent opportunity to study this place in most of its aspects.

If, therefore, they come through with an offer, I think it is a most worthwhile proposal if only as a beginning and, incidentally, would make good use of your legal background. Please give it your most serious consideration and let me know if there is anything I can help you on.

Sincerely yours,

LAWRENCE R. HOUSTON
General Counsel

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